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- 2. United States Patent No. 6,393,006, issued May 21, 2002 (previously submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement dated October 1, 2004).

One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith, except for those indicated as being previously submitted.

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